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## LIFTS VEIL OF ARMY SECRECY

Kitchener Asserts Recruiting Is Decreasing.

## LANDING TROOPS IN FRANCE

British War Secretary Says Eleven Divisions of the New Army Have Gone to the Front and That Others Will Follow at Once.

London, Sept. 16.—Lifting the veil of secrecy Earl Kitchener, secretary for war, in a speech in the house of lords, announced that eleven divisions of the new British army have reinforced Field Marshal French's force in France and that others will follow quickly. He spoke optimistically of the situation on the various fronts, expressing the opinion that "the Germans have shot their bolt" in their offensive against Russia without achieving their object of destroying the Russian army.

Without referring directly to conscription the war minister said provision to keep up the strength of the army in 1916 was causing anxious thought, owing to the falling off recently in the number of recruits offering themselves for service, and he promised an impartial inquiry as to the best means of keeping the armies up to their full strength.

The secretary for war declared the German attacks with gas, liquid fire and asphyxiating shells, lacking as they now do the element of surprise, have failed in their object and have lost much of their offensive value owing to the steps taken to counteract them.

Front Practically Unchanged.

"For the last few months the front held by the allies in the west has been practically unchanged," said Lord Kitchener.

"This does not mean there has been relaxation of active work on the part of the forces in the field, for the continuous local fighting, which has taken place along the line has called for the display of incessant vigilance.

"Meanwhile, our positions have been much strengthened, not only by careful elaboration of the system of trench fortifications that already existed, but also by a large increase in the number of heavy guns which have been placed along our lines.

"The Germans recently on several occasions used gas and liquid fire and have bombarded our lines with asphyxiating shells, but these forms of attack have failed in their object.

"As new armies have become trained and ready to take the field considerable reinforcements have been sent out to join Field Marshal French's command. With these additional reinforcements, amounting to eleven divisions (about 210,000 men), Sir John French has been able to extend his lines and take over from the French approximately seventeen miles of additional front.

## French Trenches Developed.

"French trenches along the entire front have been developed and strengthened and now everywhere present a network of almost impenetrable fortifications.

"Our allies' aircraft have been particularly active. They have carried out numerous effective raids on a large scale, penetrating far into hostile territory.

"Turning to the Eastern theater: The enemy, taking advantage of their central position, since early in June have been employing a very large proportion of their forces in strenuous efforts to crush our Russian ally. In these operations the Germans, in addition to their great numerical superiority, developed vastly preponderant artillery which enabled them to force the Russians from their defenses.

"The German objective was evidently to destroy the Russian army as a force in being and thus set free their troops for action elsewhere; but as in the case of many other plans arranged by the German staff during this war, there has been a signal failure to carry out the original intentions."

## CAVALRY CAPTAIN COMMITS SUICIDE.

Monterey, Cal., Sept. 16.—The body of Captain John W. Wilan of the Thirteenth United States cavalry was found hanging in his room in the officers' quarters at the Presidio here.

Fellow officers said he had been ill and on sick leave for months and that he was morose because of it.

## FRANK A. VANDERLIP.

Hopes People Will Learn the Lesson of Thrift.



Photo by American Press Association.

## TEACHES LESSON OF THRIFT

Foundation on Which to Build Financial Pre-Eminence.

Spring Lake, N. J., Sept. 16.—Frank A. Vanderlip, president of the National City bank of New York, in an address before a convention of electric light and power companies here, declared that new financial relationships between the United States and the rest of the world should teach Americans the lesson of thrift.

"We have an opportunity now," said Mr. Vanderlip, "indeed, we have a duty, to become a well-spring of capital for the world."

## RUSSIANS OPPOSING TEUTONIC ADVANCE

## Von Hindenburg's Forces Making Slow Progress.

London, Sept. 16.—Field Marshal von Hindenburg's drive toward the Dvinsk-Vilna railway is not progressing as fast as his previous enterprises of a similar kind have done and except at one or two points about midway between these towns, where his cavalry have cut the railway, he is still being stubbornly opposed by the Russians, who are making vigorous counter attacks.

Von Hindenburg, however, has reached a point west of the bridgehead across from the town of Dvinsk and is preparing to attack that fortified area.

Along the rest of the line the German advance has also slowed up, while in Galicia the Russians are still attacking and, according to unofficial reports from Bucharest and other points, the Austro-German armies are falling back across the Dniester river.

Just north of the Galician border the Russians also are on the offensive and are making an attempt to recapture the fortress of Dubno, which the Austrians took last week.

## AMBASSADOR IS CONFIDENT

Asserts All Disputes With Germany Will Be Settled.

New York, Sept. 16.—That the difficulties between the United States and Germany will be settled within a fortnight was the opinion voiced by Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, at his hotel here, shortly after his return from Washington.

Approached by a newspaper man Count von Bernstorff said:

"Ordinarily I give only prepared interviews over my signature. I shall make an exception. You may say for me that I am sure that within a fortnight all supposed difficulties between the United States and Germany will have been settled, and permanently settled, and the nations will be more friendly than they ever have been."

## Colombian Cabinet Resigns.

Bogota, Colombia, Sept. 16.—The Colombian cabinet has resigned as the result of a disagreement with congress.

## ENGLISH COMEDIAN DEAD

Arthur Williams Had Played More Than One Thousand Parts.

London, Sept. 16.—Arthur Williams, the comedian, died at his residence in this city.

Arthur Williams was born in London, Dec. 9, 1844, and made his first appearance on the stage in 1861. On the completion of his fifty years upon the stage, in 1911, Mr. Williams had played more than 1,000 parts.

## Foreign Bankers Come to Borrow a Half-Billion From Americans

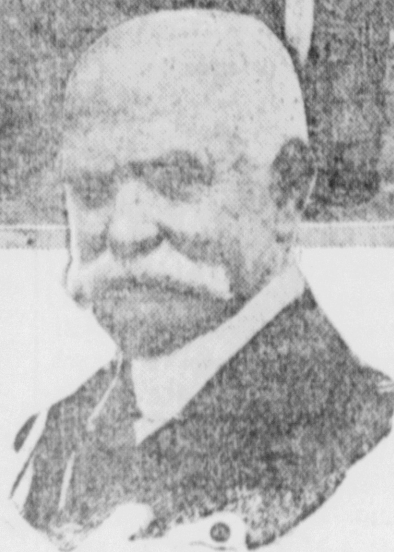


Left to right: J. P. Morgan, Baron Reading, Basil P. Blackett, Octave Homberg, Ernest Mallet.

These British and French bankers have come to the United States to borrow a half-billion dollars, if reports that preceded them are correct. They were received by J. P. Morgan, of the big banking house which acts as agent for the British government in the United States. Baron Reading, who heads the British commission, was Sir Rufus Isaacs. He was given the title of Baron when he was made lord chief justice of Great Britain. Mr. Blackett was here last year with Sir George Paish in connection with British loans and finances.



Sir H. Babbington Smith



Sir Edward H. Holden

## LATEST WAR NEWS

### TURKS PREPARING TO MOVE GOVERNMENT

(By United Press)

London, Sept. 16.—A dispatch from Athens says the Turkish authorities are preparing to remove the government record into the interior of Asia, fearing a mutiny in the Turkish army. German gunners have manned the guns anticipating an uprising.

### GERMANS CAPTURE PINKS

(By United Press)

Berlin, Sept. 16.—It is officially announced that the German forces have captured Pinks. Gen. Mackensen's forces have gained the city after pushing steadily east since the fall of Brestlitovsk. Pinks is thirty miles from the Vilna Rovno line whence the entire German force is moving.

### LOSSES AT DARDANELLES

London, Sept. 16.—Under Secretary of War Tennant, in the house of commons this afternoon said the British losses at the Dardanelles to date were 59,293 killed and wounded.

### SEA FIGHT UNCONFIRMED

London, Sept. 16.—The admiralty has received no reports of a naval battle in the North Sea, although reports come from Holland of heavy firing.

### ITALIAN SUBMARINE SINK AUSTRIAN SHIPS

Paris, Sept. 16.—An Italian submarine sank two Austrian destroyers Tuesday in the Adriatic sea, says Turin dispatches.

### ROMANIA WILL ENTER WAR

(By United Press)

Copenhagen, Sept. 16.—German newspapers hint vaguely at Rumania's early entrance in to the war on the side of the allies, but make no comment on the reason.

### Dumba's Recall Purely Personal

(By United Press)

Vienna, Sept. 16.—The press contains a statement from a foreign office official who says that Austria has not interfered and is unwilling to interfere in the internal affairs of America. That she is too busy with European affairs to bother about strikes in the United States, and is awaiting Dumba's report and our investigation before forming an opinion. However, Austria will consider the request for Dumba's recall as purely personal, which can not disturb the friendly relations between the two countries. It has not been determined whether a successor will be appointed. Dumba is very highly regarded here and great surprise is expressed at Washington's view of him.

### Must Disavow Arabic Attack

(By United Press)

Washington, Sept. 16.—The White House has construed Ambassador Bernstorff's statement that a complete understanding has been reached and friendly relations assured was merely an understanding that the United States will insist on a disavowal of the Arabic attack as the only condition on which diplomatic intercourse will be continued. Pres. Wilson desires a direct communication from Berlin before sharing Bernstorff's confidence.

### Anarchy Reigns at Nogales

(By United Press)

Nogales, Mexico, Sept. 16.—Anarchy reigns at Nogales, Mexico, following the Villa garrison leaving the city to meet Carranza who is approaching to attack the city. The rioters took possession of the stores. A small force of Yaqui Indians left behind arrested thirty-five. Chinamen resisting the looters were beaten to death.

### Mexicans Celebrate Sane Fourth

(By United Press)

Brownsville, Texas, Sept. 16.—The safe and sane Fourth has invaded Mexico. Although Mexicans for the past three days starting at midnight, have been celebrating their independence, the celebrations have been confined strictly to the Mexicans themselves. American soldiers and citizens have carefully prepared to resist an organized invasion of Texas. This is believed to be the cause of the Mexican indisposition to start anything.

### American Soldiers Fire on Mexicans

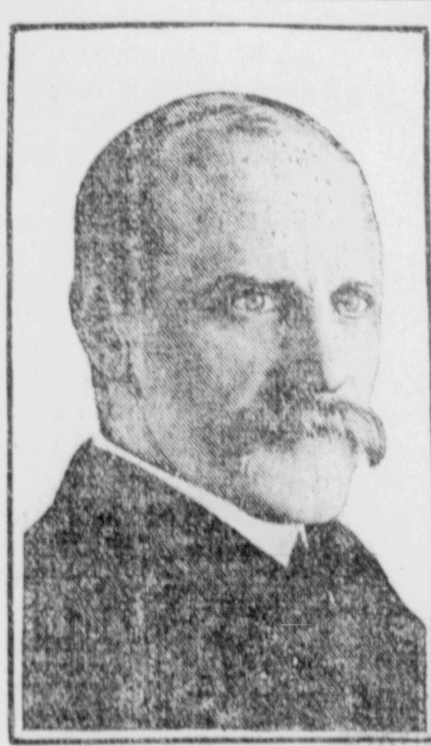
Brownsville, Sept. 16.—American soldiers fired upon fifteen Mexicans at Fresno this morning. Three hundred soldiers and citizens are pursuing the Mexicans into the brush, following a trail of blood the Mexicans left.

### Make Statement on Suffrage

Washington, Sept. 16.—The president's informal statement on his stand on female suffrage is expected September 28, when he goes to his home state primaries in New Jersey.

## DR. NANSEN.

Explorer Publishes Book Advising Norway to Arm.



## COUNSELS NORWAY TO ARM

Norsk Explorer Advises Government Prepare Measures of Defense.

Berlin, Sept. 16.—The Overseas News agency gives out the following: "Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, the Norwegian explorer, has just published a book advocating that Norway, before it is too late, arm herself strongly for defensive purposes.

"Hotels and boarding houses in Berlin had 100,356 foreigners as guests during August last, as compared with 89,029 in August, 1914. The total for the current year included 156 Americans."

## AUSTRIA ISOLATED FROM OUTER WORLD

## Vienna Still in the Dark on the Dumba Incident.

Vienna, Sept. 16.—No admission can be obtained in any government quarters that anything more is known about the United States government's request for the recall of Dr. Constantin Theodor Dumba, the Austro-Hungarian ambassador at Washington, than is printed in the Swiss, French and German newspapers reaching here.

It appears to be a fact that no report of any nature has yet been received from the ambassador himself nor has Frederick C. Penfield, the American ambassador, received Secretary of State Lansing's note, requesting the withdrawal of Dr. Dumba.

The first news Mr. Penfield received concerning the situation was contained in foreign newspapers. Austria is so cut off from the outside world that it is doubtful whether Dr. Dumba's report can be received other than by means of a messenger, which indicates that at least a fortnight of waiting will result.

In the absence of a detailed report on Dr. Dumba's activities there is an inclination here to believe that he merely did his duty in warning his countrymen of the possible penalties to which they subjected themselves by assisting in the making of munitions for the allies.

## ERB IS CRITICALLY ILL

Railroad Builder and Financier May Not Recover.

Deal, N. J., Sept. 16.—Newman Erb of New York, railroad builder and financier, is critically ill at his summer home here. Physicians in attendance said that while on his way here from New York on a Pennsylvania train he took poison by mistake for headache medicine. He at once became violently ill. It was feared that he may not recover.

Mr. Erb is president of the Minneapolis and St. Louis railroad and a prominent figure in railroad affairs.

## COMPANY LOSES BIG SUIT

Fails to Recover for Loss of Ship in Panama Canal.

New York, Sept. 16.—Federal Judge Hough, in a decision rendered here, sustained the contentions made by the government in the admiralty suit for \$800,000 brought by the Pacific Mail Steamship company, as owner of the steamer Newport, against the Pan-American Railroad company.

On Aug. 17, 1912, 230 feet of the bulkhead of a pier at Balboa, Canal Zone, collapsed, throwing 18,000 tons of earth and two large electric cranes into the water. The steamer Newport, which was alongside the dock, was sunk.

## GIGANTIC LOAN SEEMS ASSURED

Negotiations With Financiers Making Progress.

## OPPOSITION IS NATIONWIDE

Attitude of Americans of German Sympathies or Parentage Has Strengthened the Determination of Other Bankers to Aid in Making the Anglo-French Loan a Success.

New York, Sept. 16.—America's billion-dollar loan to Great Britain and France seemed to be well on the way to actual accomplishment, according to bankers familiar with the pledges secured by members of the Anglo-French financial commission during their five-day stay in this country.

Announcement at this time that the success of the loan is assured would be, these bankers thought, decidedly premature; but there is every indication, in their opinion, that the commission's work thus far has met with a degree of success that fully equals their expectations.

This rosy view reflected the thoughts of the men who have championed the commission's cause here and aided them by hard work. It did not coincide with the sentiments of those opposing the big loan, nor of the so called pro-German financiers here who have not been invited to attend the commission's conference or meet the commissioners.

So far as could be learned from bankers in touch with the commission and its work the situation is about as follows:

## Many Pledges Secured.

Pledges have already been secured for a considerable fraction of the big loan. Other pledges are in prospect.

The so called pro-German banking houses of New York will be invited to participate in the loan if the commission can be persuaded that they are sincere in their expressions of willingness to do so.

The billion dollar loan probably will be divided into two and possibly four separate series of equal amounts.

Bonds on which the loan will be granted will bear not less than 5 per cent interest and will be payable in dollars, free from British income tax requirements.

An attempt will be made to sell the bonds at par, in case the interest rate should be 5 per cent. Members of the commission fully believe that such bonds can be disposed of at par, but American bankers have their doubts on this score.

Opposition to the flotation of the loan is countrywide among Americans of German sympathies or parentage, but has strengthened other bankers in their determination to aid in floating the loan, in the opinion of the commission's friends, and has not seriously impeded the task.

## AIR SERVICE INADEQUATE

A. J. Balfour Says British Situation Is Improving.

London, Sept. 16.—The adequacy of the air service was the subject of some criticism in the house of commons. Arthur J. Balfour, first lord of the admiralty, admitted that the provisions considered sufficient at the beginning of the war had to be materially developed. He said, however, that the service was now being supplemented far more rapidly than was the danger it was organized to meet.

There had been a great strain, Mr. Balfour continued, on the supply of anti-aircraft guns. The development of an aerial offensive had not been foreseen before the war, but the naval air service was now of great dimension.

The changes already made had been great and all are in the way of dealing adequately with the new and great responsibility.

## COLLEGE CLOSES DOORS FOR LACK OF FUNDS.

Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 16.—Disputes from Pennyan say of the board of trustees of Keuka college decided to close the institution on account of insufficient funds. The college was established twenty-five years ago.

The building and other paraphernalia including a farm on which the school is located, are worth about \$250,000. In the past six years, during the administration of President Joseph A. Serena, the college has made greater strides than ever before.



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## THE WEATHER

Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours  
Warmer.  
Sept. 15—Maximum 68, minimum  
36.

## LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Arthur Brown went to Warroad  
this noon.

Dressmaking done at 507 S. 7th St.  
C. J. Rathvon, of Deerwood, was  
a Brainerd visitor today.

A. C. Sproule, of Superior, Wis.,  
was in the city on business.

See Clark's bargain windows. 35tf  
Fred Reckon and Ed McGowan of  
Minneapolis visited over Sunday at  
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rifen-  
rath.

We are proud of our selection of  
new Millinery modes and you'll be  
proud of any hat you choose here.  
B. Kaatz & Son. 11

Burton Ford visited his parents  
this week and then went to Minne-  
apolis to resume his studies at the  
University of Minnesota.

For Spring Water Phone 264. 11  
Col. A. J. Halsted and Mr. and  
Mrs. James R. Smith motored to Min-  
neapolis this morning and will en-  
joy an outing of several days.

Houses, lots, easy terms. Nettleton.  
85tf

If the present tenant is to move  
on October first, why not advertise  
for the new one and extract most of  
the worry from the incident?

A lady from the west had her home  
for sale listed with several dealers.  
She came to town, put in three want  
ads in the Dispatch and sold the  
house herself.

Glasses properly fitted. Dr. Long.  
291tf

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Peterson,  
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alla Cuskey  
returned this afternoon to their home  
in Osceola, Iowa, after a very pleas-  
ant visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Lindner  
left last night for Omaha, Neb.,  
where they will visit relatives and  
from there they will go to Avoca and  
Harlan, Iowa, to visit other relatives.

There is no picture which has been  
published oftener than the silo and  
cattle of James M. Elder. The other  
day the photo figured on the first  
page of Dan Wallace's "The Farmer"  
magazine.

George Urquhart, of the Pioneer  
Development Co. of St. Paul, was on  
the range looking after the interests  
of the company. He was accom-  
panied by A. W. Banger, a banker  
of Ruthven, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Lindberg  
and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hagberg left  
on the early morning train for Vir-  
ginia to attend the funeral of Glen-  
ce Langlois, young son of Mr. and  
Mrs. P. C. Langlois.

The supper given by the Ladies  
Aid society of the Swedish Mission  
church last evening at Walker hall  
was very largely attended, and the

ladies wish to thank everyone who  
assisted them in making it a success.

Painters Wanted—Two men for  
outside work. Must be first class.  
"Art" Johnson, 206 Kingwood St.  
1p

The store and undertaking estab-  
lishment of D. E. Whitney is hav-  
ing many improvements made. The  
chapel space has been enlarged, new  
lighting fixtures installed and many  
other alterations made of a most sub-  
stantial nature.

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Land, 717 Laurel St. 80tf

Are you "holding on" to some-  
thing of value which you no longer  
use or need? Keep in mind that  
"For Sale" want ads in the Brain-  
erd Dispatch pay. And the advertis-  
ing costs but a small sum, cent a  
word the first time, half a cent for  
each word each subsequent insertion.

C. Jensen, teacher of violin, theory  
and harmony. Studio 309 South  
Eighth street, phone 595. 78tf

A meeting of the public affairs  
committee of the Chamber of Com-  
merce will be held Friday afternoon  
at 4 o'clock to take up the matter of  
aiding the city in furnishing the  
rest room in the new city hall. All  
committee men should make it a  
point to be present at this meeting.

Money to loan on good improved  
farm land at 6 per cent. James R.  
Smith, Sleeper Block, Brainerd, Minn.  
8716

The dedication of the Wilson  
school tomorrow evening at Barrows  
should draw a large attendance from  
Brainerd. Many Brainerd people  
will appear on the pleasing program.  
Brainerd has supplied teachers to  
Barrows and there is always a kin-  
dly interest by Brainerd in Barrows  
and it should be further exemplified  
by the presence of Brainerd people  
at the dedicatory ceremonies.

Trunks and leather travelling bags,  
from \$3 to \$12. D. M. Clark & Co.  
19tf

The funeral of Mrs. Claude Win-  
ter will be held on Friday afternoon  
at 2 o'clock from the residence, 121  
Gillis avenue Northeast and at 2:30  
o'clock from the German Evangeli-  
cal church of Northeast Brainerd.  
Rev. E. R. Brand officiating. Rela-  
tives who have arrived to attend  
the funeral are Mrs. Earl Hawley  
and Mrs. Frank Williams of Minne-  
apolis, Mrs. Herman Trickler and  
Mrs. Gustave Kloss of Maple Lake.

For Sale—A beautiful toned piano  
elegant case, practically new, cost  
\$400.00, will sell for \$150 of taken  
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ey's on Oak street. This is a real  
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tise for it determinedly! This is  
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time, can "finance" a persistent cam-  
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day expense is so slight! Tell what  
you can do without bombast, with-  
out mock-modesty, without wordi-  
ness; just simply, sensibly, with can-  
dor. Add a phrase about where  
you've worked—a phrase about what  
you expect to earn. Write your ad  
with a clear thought in your mind  
as to what sort of services you have  
to offer—and what impression your  
ad is apt to make on the sort of man  
you want to work for. You can  
want-advertise yourself into a job—  
perhaps quickly! Use the Dispatch  
for your medium.

Cole's Brilliant Radiant Heaters  
make poor pickings for the doctor.  
Health and Cole's Heaters go to-  
gether. Better get one. D. M.  
Clark & Co. 11

The second annual ball of the  
Southeast Brainerd club to be given  
Friday evening, Sept. 17, will fur-  
nish a delightful surprise when the  
dancers view the novel decorations.  
Committees have worked on this  
daily and secured some new effects.  
The windows of the Gardner auditor-  
ium have been curtained, three col-  
ored lights will illuminate the ball  
room, the orchestra stand has been  
banked in beautiful decorations, and  
crepe paper of many shades has been  
utilized on the ceilings and walls.

The executive committee includes O.  
F. Erickson, Anton Anderson, Lester  
Bentley, Fred Bentley, Axel Ander-  
son, A. R. Falconer, Anton Lee. The  
Blue Ribbon orchestra will play its  
most pleasing selections.

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tional Loan Company will give you  
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Pills with a tumbler of water at  
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belching gas. Go right to bed.  
Wake up in the morning, enjoy a  
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## May Open 40,000 Acres Winnibigoshish District

Bemidji, Minn., Sept. 15—Forty  
thousands acres of land may be open-  
ed in the Lake Winnibigoshish dis-  
trict for agricultural purposes as  
the result of an investigation now  
being carried on by Congressman  
Charles A. Lindbergh of this dis-  
trict.

Part of the land in question can  
be used for meadow purposes and  
other parts as winter quarters for  
the large herds of cattle that will  
roam what is known as the National  
timber reserve of Minnesota, com-  
prising 240,000 acres of virgin tim-  
ber in the counties of Cass, Itasca  
and Koochiching and practically all  
of which can be used for grazing pur-  
poses.

At present the opportunities of  
the timberless tracts of this reserve  
are hampered by flood conditions on  
the Mississippi, Leech and other riv-  
ers through that district and during  
the past few years the government  
has constructed five reservoirs  
throughout the district and erected  
enormous dams, which the dredging  
of the rivers, which work, is now in  
progress will keep the waters of  
these rivers at a normal height dur-  
ing the entire year.

## GIRL MUSSES WEDDING

Scotland, S. D., Sept. 15—Charles  
Bridge is a single man today, al-  
though he did not will it that way.  
Charles was already to promise to  
love, honor and obey one Miss Hilda  
Hammond, but she is today Mrs. Alan  
Zolnowsky. Charles was all lit up  
in a brand new suit of the finest ma-  
terial, and the wedding guests were  
beginning to arrive, when news was  
flushed to the scene of the supposed  
wedding, that Hilda had eloped with  
Alan.

## HAMLET LAKE

A party was given in honor of  
Helmer Mattson at his home Satur-  
day evening. Thirty of his friends  
being present. The evening was  
spent in music and games. At the  
close of the evening refreshments  
were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ness and fam-  
ily autoted to Starbuck last week.  
Mrs. C. M. Peterson and daughter  
Marie, were Brainerd visitors last  
week.

Carl Peterson threshed in this vi-  
cinity last week.  
Miss Christine Mattson was a  
Doris visitor last week.

Miss E. Tunnesson has returned  
from a visit at Badgley, Minn.  
Miss Laura Nelson visited with  
her parents in Brainerd Saturday  
and Sunday.

Miss Georgia Sherlund, guest of  
Ruth Sherlund, has returned to  
Brainerd.

Mrs. Fred Peabody is visiting with  
her parents here.  
Mrs. O. Skau, Mrs. Pete Swanson,  
Mrs. H. Mattson and daughter, Chris-  
tine, attended the Ladies Aid at C.  
G. Christensen's last Thursday.

Prayer meeting at the home of  
Mrs. Hegglund Thursday evening. A  
hearty welcome to everyone to at-  
tend these meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Swanson and  
family, and Mr. and Mrs. Gust Land-  
strom and family were guests of Mrs.  
C. M. Peterson last Sunday.  
Miss Christine Mattson attended  
the fair at Atkin this week.

BINGO.

LET US DO YOUR PRINTING

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

September 3  
Caroline E. Clarke widow to Matt  
Parley se of 35-138-29 wd \$2000.  
Sam'l. F. Kater and wife to John S.  
Kater ne of ne and sw of ne of 30-  
138-28 wd \$2000.

W. H. Locker to Carrie P. Hill and  
Agnes I. Lamb lot 22 blk. 8 Iron-  
ton qcd \$1.

Mary Raymond and husband to Olof  
Carlson Fridlund lot 10 blk. 3  
Raymond's Addn. to Crosby wd  
\$200.

Jay G. Smith and wife et al to Or-  
pha P. Smith und. 2-15 int. in min-  
erals in n $\frac{1}{2}$  nw of 22-46-29; und.  
1-5 int. in and to w $\frac{1}{2}$  nw of 1-  
45-30; und. 12-15 int. in minerals  
in n $\frac{1}{2}$  ne and ne of nw of 28-46-  
29 spl. wd \$2000.

September 4  
Frank W. Hanft and wife to Anna  
M. Dunn part of lot 3 of 25-135-  
29 wd \$1.

State of Minnesota to Fred Drexler  
lots 21, 22, 23 and 24 blk. 271  
First Addn. to town of Brainerd  
forfeited tax deed.

Sept. 6—No Transfers  
September 7  
Alex Kinnunen bachelor to John  
Ojanen lot 12 and n $\frac{1}{2}$  lot 13 blk.  
9 Lake View Addn. to Crosby wd  
Torrens.

Francis Crapo and wife to Ira J. Cra-  
po, single, lots 1 and 2 Homcroft  
wd \$1 etc.

George Heese and wife to Enoch  
Wick part of se of sw of 9-46-28  
wd \$1 etc.

Oreland Townsite Co. to Jno. N. Op-  
pedahl lot 5 blk. 14 Oreland wd  
Torrens.

Charles P. Silloway and wife to Mpls.  
St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie Ry.  
Co., s $\frac{1}{2}$  ne and nw. of se of 32-  
47-29 right of way deed, Torrens.

September 8  
Guss E. Alstead single to John O.  
Moen und. 7-16 int. of lot 1 and  
se of nw of 18-137-26 wd \$1.

September 9  
Albert G. Johnson and wife to Carl  
Peterson se of se, govt. lots 4 and  
5 of 22-136-29 wd \$2723.50.

N. S. Hoffman and husband to W. E.  
Paul e 50 ft. of w 100 ft. of lots  
13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 blk. 54  
town of Brainerd qcd \$1.

Sept. 10  
Emil Backlund, single to George J.  
Johnson, lots 10 and 11, block 22.  
Second addition to town of Brain-  
erd, special wd, \$100.

Charles Foster and wife to Ada V.  
Meyers und. 1-8 of all minerals in  
nw of sw of 2-137-26, se of se of  
3-137-26, qcd, 1.

Ada V. Meyers and husband to Alfred  
J. Dean and Cuyuna Northern  
Land & Iron Co., und. 1-8 of all  
minerals in nw of sw of 2-137-26,  
se of se of 3-137-26, qcd, \$1, etc.

G. H. Sylow and wife to First State  
Bank of Ironton lot 19, block 10,  
Ironton, wd \$1, etc.

Charles P. Silloway and wife to  
Mpls. St. Paul & Sault Ste Marie  
Ry. Co., s $\frac{1}{2}$  ne and nw of se of 32-  
47-29, right of way deed. Tor-  
rens.

Sept. 11  
Clarence M. Field and wife to Hanna  
C. Johnson lots 4 and 5 blk. 3  
"Pine Crest" wd \$1 etc.

Enos Stewart and wife to Frank A.  
Stewart lots 1 and 4 of 35-43-31  
qcd \$1.

Frank A. Stewart and wife to Adam  
Tautges lots 1 and 4 of 35-43-31  
wd \$959.60.

## Norwegian Ship Sunk.

Copenhagen, Sept. 16.—The Nor-  
wegian steamer Hortic Nort has been  
torpedoed and sunk in the North sea.  
Her crew was saved.

## HILL AIDS WESTERN COLLEGE

Magnate Gives \$50,000 to Oregon In-  
stitution.

Eugene, Ore., Sept. 15.—An endow-  
ment campaign to raise \$135,000 be-  
tween now and Nov. 17 for the Eugene  
Bible university was announced to  
win \$50,000 offered by J. J. Hill of St.  
Paul.

The campaign will be conducted  
throughout the Pacific Northwest, the  
territory covered by the Eugene Chris-  
tian college, and an endeavor will be  
made to obtain 300 subscriptions of  
\$450 each.

Mr. Hill announced the gift of an  
endowment fund for the university  
contingent on the college raising an  
additional fund of \$200,000.

The college has until March 31 to  
raise this sum and a considerable  
amount has been pledged.

## YOUNG GIRL RISKS LIFE

Rescues Brother and Sister From  
Burning Home.

St. Paul, Sept. 15.—Rushing through  
a wall of flame nine-year-old Gertrude  
Hubbard rescued her baby brother  
and younger sister from almost cer-  
tain death when a lamp exploded in  
their farm home, two miles south of  
West St. Paul on the Sunfish road.

At the city hospital, where the chil-  
dren were taken, it was said they are  
so severely burned that they may not  
live.

Alice, four years old, suffered se-  
vere burns about the face and the left  
side of her body. At least half of  
eighteen-month-old John's skin is  
burned off and nearly as much of his  
sister's. Gertrude, too, was burned  
somewhat, as was their father, George  
Hubbard.

## INDIAN LID FOR TWO MORE

Coleraine and Bovey in Iron Country  
Must Stop Liquor Sales.

Coleraine, Minn., Sept. 15.—All sa-  
loon keepers and druggists of this vil-  
lage and Bovey were notified by mail  
that the Indian bureau of the interior  
department wants them to cease sell-  
ing liquor. The persons affected said  
they would obey the order, which is  
made under the terms of the Indian  
treaty of 1855.

## MAY TAX WAR MUNITIONS

Treasury Officials Are Considering the  
Advisability.

Washington, Sept. 15.—Treasury of-  
ficials are considering the advisability  
of laying a special war tax on mun-  
itions of war and private manufactur-  
ers of munitions to help swell treas-  
ury receipts.

It is claimed this special tax would  
be popular and that it could be done  
without causing any violent outbursts  
in congress at the time that body ex-  
tends for another year or two the spe-  
cial war tax law, which expires next  
January. Leaders in congress say  
this special tax is to be continued.

## LITTLE PROSPECT OF PEACE

Dr. Aletta H. Jacobs of Amsterdam  
Discusses War Situation.

Washington, Sept. 16.—President  
Wilson was told by Dr. Aletta H.  
Jacobs of Amsterdam, Holland, that  
there is little prospect of European  
peace in the near future.

Dr. Jacobs was a delegate to the  
women's peace conference held at  
The Hague several months ago and  
later discussed peace with high of-  
ficials of various nations in Europe  
and with Miss Jane Addams of Chi-  
cago.

## TWO ARE KILLED BY TRAIN

Passengers on Motorcycle Crash Into  
Engine.

Des Moines, Sept. 14.—Peter Swin-  
tek, a local construction engineer,  
thirty-seven years old, and Emil Rein-  
holdt, twelve years old, were killed  
instantly here when a motorcycle on  
which they were riding collided with  
the engine of a Chicago Great West-  
ern passenger train.

## WANTS

Notices under this head will be  
charged for at the rate of one cent a  
word for the first insertion and one half  
a cent a word for each subsequent in-  
sertion, strictly cash in advance, but no  
ad will be taken for less than fifteen

## HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Pie and cake baker.  
Lubo Katich, Box 191, Ironton. 8812p

WANTED—Good steady man for  
general farm work. Address F. S.  
Parker. 321f

WANTED—Good girl for general  
housework. Good wages. Mrs. E.  
H. Bergh, 706 N. 4th St. 861f

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Seven room house at  
1020 7th St. S. 8416p

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at  
205 Main street. 8813

FOR RENT—Desirable furnished  
rooms, 722 South Broadway. 381f

FOR RENT—Furnished room, with  
or without board. Phone 539-J. 811f

FOR SALE—Horse, buggy, harness  
and sleigh. 206 2nd Ave. N. E.  
8913p

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for  
light housekeeping, 716 $\frac{1}{2}$  Laurel  
St. 73

FOR RENT—Three large rooms, new  
house, all hardwood floor. 724  
So. 7th St. 8913p

FOR RENT—Single furnished room  
and nice apartment for two. 611  
North Holly. 8916p

FOR RENT—Furnished room with  
board in new modern house. 517  
N. 5th St. 841f

FOR RENT—House of six rooms at  
103 Juniper Street. W. D. McKay,  
403 2nd St. N. 861f

FOR RENT—House at 615 6th street  
north at \$15 per month. Inquire  
at 215 4th street north. Modern  
except heat. 8813

8 ROOM house, Mill district, well,  
near school, \$6. 4 room house  
\$7.50, 4th avenue near school. 5  
room house, north side, on Broad-  
way, lights, water, \$11. 4 rooms,  
West Brainerd, well, near bridge,  
\$7. All good shape. Nettleton 8613

## FOR SALE

BARN FOR SALE—Apply at D. M.  
Clark's store. 401f

FOR SALE—Bungalow, at a bar-  
gain. Call 221 Kingwood St. 8516p

FOR SALE—A cabinet Victrola with  
20 records. Apply 608 Laurel St. 891f

FOR SALE CHEAP—5 passenger au-  
tomobile. First class condition.  
The Electric Shop



## WOMAN'S REALM

### ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Northern Minnesota Annual Conference of Methodist Episcopal Church at Minneapolis

The Northern Minnesota annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held at Wesley church, Minneapolis, beginning September 29.

Rev. C. H. S. Koch, pastor of the local church, will terminate his pastorate at that time and return to his chosen field, India, where he has already spent eight years.

A new pastor will be appointed for Brainerd. There are several very capable men being considered for the position.

### RAISING THE DEAD

A Clinic in Regeneration, Theme of Sermon of Rev. G. Phil. Sheridan

On Sunday evening Rev. G. Phil. Sheridan will preach a sermon dealing with the theme of "Raising the Dead."

Mr. Sheridan having specialized in sociology and economic problems will give certain sidelights of his practical experience dealing with some of the great problems of sociology and criminology that meet the mission worker and student.

There is a power says Mr. Sheridan that can raise a man from the dead. Science, psychology and high flown theology know it not, but the fact of resurrection remains, and that power he will elaborate on in the sermon.

When asked to condense his message to a few words Mr. Sheridan said it will be "A Clinic in Regeneration."

### Farewell Party

Mrs. H. A. Russell was very pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Russell by twenty of her friends. She was presented with a beautiful gold thimble. At midnight a fine luncheon was served. Mrs. H. A. Russell leaves for her home in Iowa Friday.

### Theatre Parties

Theatre parties were numerous to hear Fiske O'Hara last night. Visitors came from Pillager, Deerwood, Crosby, Cuyuna, Staples and other points near by Brainerd. In nearly all cases the theatre goes motored to Brainerd, the roads being in fine shape.

### Surprise Party

Ten ladies gathered at the home of Mrs. P. E. Russell Wednesday afternoon and surprised Mrs. H. A. Russell and presented her with a sterling silver cream ladle. A sumptuous luncheon was served by the hostess.



HOLBROOK BLINN

Leading man with Blinn's Famous Players at the Grand today, Friday and Saturday.

### PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Nellie M. Barry has accepted a school at Oak Point where she will teach this year.

Mrs. O. H. Johnson returned yesterday from an extended visit in Portview, Wis.

Lucian Marsh, who spent the summer at Pelican lake, returned this afternoon to his home in Lincoln, Neb.

The Misses Rice, Featherstone, Christensen, Holmgren and Siglerud of Pillager, visited in Brainerd yesterday.

Miss Ethel Brugger of Winona is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rifenrath and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Huseman.

Miss Anna Hanson, of Ironton, visited Miss Hildegard Anderson and left this noon for Staples to visit friends there.

Miss Tresa Robinson, of Staples, visited in the city yesterday and attended the Fiske O'Hara performance at the opera house.

Deerwood ladies visiting in Brainerd yesterday were Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. A. W. Miller, Miss Esther Theorin, Mrs. O. C. Aus and Miss Helma Aus.

Mrs. Bertha Bruce, sick at St. Joseph's hospital, has so far recovered that she is able to sit up and may be able to return to her home within a few weeks.

Mrs. Edward A. Berg, who has been a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Herman Koop, returned this afternoon to her home in Little Falls accompanied by her sister, Miss Hildegard Koop, who will visit with her a few days.

### Star of Hope Society

On Friday evening, September 17, the Star of Hope society of the Swedish Mission church will be entertained by Mrs. A. T. Anderson and Mrs. A. O. Anderson, at 820 Fourth avenue Northeast Brainerd. Everybody is very cordially invited to come.

### Altruistic Sunday School

The Altruistic Sunday school of the Swedish Baptist church will give a sale at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gustafson, 704 South Tenth street, on Saturday, Sept. 18, from 3:30 in the afternoon to late in the evening. Ice cream, coffee, cake and sandwiches will be served. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

### FLAK ITEMS

School has started in District 24 with Miss Eunice Batdorf, of Minneapolis, as teacher.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. John Huseby has taken her daughter Pearl, to Minneapolis, for an operation for abscess of the tooth.

Joseph Hillman made a business trip to Brainerd last Friday.

Miss Inez Rardin has returned home from Clearwater lake.

A farewell party Tuesday night was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams in honor of Lydia Roderick.

Miss Eunice Batdorf visited in Brainerd Sunday.

A jolly bunch from Brainerd motored out to Mr. and Mrs. John Huseby's Sunday.

We are very delighted over the little shower after having such dry weather.

Mrs. Frank Driver and daughter Alice, and granddaughters Inez and Lucetta Rardin, visited at Mrs. Martin Rardin's Sunday.

There was a small crowd at Sunday school Sunday, owing to the bad weather.

"HAPPY KIDS."



CHINCHILLA CLOTH COAT.

A distinctly smart winter coat is featured in dark gray chinchilla cloth, belted with silk cord girdle. Plenty of fullness is evident in the skirt part, and the fastening, being one sided, suggests the Russian style. A very high necked velvet vest finishes with a deep roll collar of gray chinchilla fur. Deep cuffs are also featured in gray chinchilla. The cloth topped button boots and floppy velvet hat with metal topped pins are interesting details.

### "Kilkenny"

Fiske O'Hara, the noted Irish actor, starred in "Kilkenny" at the Brainerd opera house last night and an audience which taxed seating capacity, enjoyed the Irish play and applauded again and again the beautiful, hitting, Irish ballads sung as only Mr. O'Hara can sing them.

The Irish tenor has a remarkably clear voice and one of wide compass, touching soprano-like tones in the top register. It is seldom that one finds an actor who can fill all requirements of as difficult a role as that of Richard Desmond in Kilkenny. Gathered together under the spell of a charming love story are delightful songs including "That's What an Irishman Means," "Contrary Mary Clary," "Ireland is Ireland to Me," "Girl of My Heart" and "Dear Mother Mine."

Dainty Marie Quinn was the little comedienne of the company. Mr. O'Hara's supporting company was one of unusual excellence and comprised Mabel Julline Scott, Marie Quinn, Mary Downs, Anna Nichols, Lisle Bloodgood, Eliza Mason, W. T. Morgan, J. P. Sullivan, James Edwards, Henry Duffy, J. E. Miller and W. T. Sheehan.



NIFTY SWEATER.

Child's sweater in dark green wool crocheted showing border belt and cuffs of very fine weave. The one sided fastening and large roll collar are interesting features. Pearl buttons serve to fasten and trim the garment.

DISPATCH ADS PAY

### GAME BIRDS KILLED OFF

But 10 Per Cent of Number Left Which Existed Here 75 Years Ago, Decrease Being Rapid

Formerly migratory waterfowl frequented the United States in enormous numbers, and the supply appeared to be inexhaustible. During the last 75 years, however, the growth of population and the vast increase in the number of hunters, combined with greatly improved firearms and an extraordinary increase in the facilities for rapid transportation to the most remote haunts of wild life, have resulted in an appalling reduction in their numbers. It is believed to be a conservative estimate that the gross number of migratory game birds of all kinds existing today in the United States does not exceed 10 per cent of the number which existed here 75 years ago. The decrease has been especially rapid during the last 25 years. During this period some species have become extinct, while others are nearly so.

Thoughtful sportsmen and others interested in our wild life have long realized the impossibility of saving what was left of this great national asset by state action. The rapid progress of our waterfowl toward extinction under state laws was too obvious. To save the dwindling remnant, in 1913 the federal migratory bird law was enacted. The law has now been in effect about two years and an extended inquiry has been made by the Biological Survey as to its effect on migratory game birds. A large number of reports from state and federal game officials and private individuals in nearly all of the states of the union have been received. The replies from a small number of states have been doubtful usually owing to a lack of definite information on the subject. From 40 of the states, extending from Maine to California and from the Gulf states to the Canadian border, is given unimpeachable evidence of an extraordinary increase in waterfowl during the short period commonly stated, according to the locality, to be from 10 to several hundred per cent, and includes such important species as mallards, black mallards, widgeon, sprigtails, blue-winged teal, green-winged teal, wood ducks, canvasbacks, Canada geese, and swans.

Many of the reports are to the effect that the number of waterfowl remaining to breed exceeds anything seen during the past 10 to 25 years. The results indicate what may be expected from a long period of adequate protection.

The importance of our wild fowl as a national asset is evident when their great aggregate value is considered. The state of Maine estimates the annual income from its game resources at \$13,000,000, of which about 5 per cent, of \$650,000, can safely be allotted to the returns from migratory wild fowl. Oregon values the annual returns from its game resources at \$5,000,000. Of this amount about \$1,000,000 may be attributed to migratory wild fowl. It is evident that the actual annual returns from this source in the several states reach a very large amount and the value of this resource to the nation amount to hundreds of millions of dollars.

The benefits of the migratory bird law in conserving and increasing the wild life of the country is not confined solely to the game birds. This law also protects at all times throughout the United States our insectivorous birds which inhabit every state. The Bureau of Entomology has estimated that insects injure agriculture and farm products to the amount of \$652,000,000 annually. When it is considered that insectivorous birds constantly prey upon and devour myriads of injurious insects throughout the country, the exceeding value of these birds in maintaining the balance of nature and in limiting the increase of our insect enemies is of untold value.

### THE SLEEVE IS THE THING.

Just at present the sleeve is the thing. To be sure, it is disputing style supremacy with the barometric position of the collar and whether the waist is to be a collapsible affair or accordion plated, but every new model for fall seems to have had special attention paid to the sleeve design.

Sleeve styles seem to have arrived at one definite and widened conclusion. Bishop sleeves and the angel flare are in again. Cuffed effects will be in good style position—in fact, it is agreed among makers that sleeve decorations will be broadly used.

### Liner Afire at Dock

(By United Press)

Liverpool, Sept. 16.—The Johnson liner Quernemo, caught fire mysteriously lying at the docks. No details are given.



DAINTY DANCE FROCK.

Dance frock of pale pink chiffon with full skirt consisting of yards and yards of this filmy material. The simple bodice with V neck and surplice drape is soft and pretty, favoring the Greek tendencies. A dainty sleeve cap is developed from three rows of plaited chiffon. Garlands of flowers and a satin girle afford dainty trimming.

### FROSTED CORN SILAGE

Farmers Can Save Corn Which Fails to Mature by Putting it Into Silo After First Frost

The fact that corn if frosted and immediately put into the silo will make good silage may prove of great advantage to corn growers in certain sections where the lateness of the present season may prevent the corn from ripening or reaching the glazed stage before the first frost, according to the dairying experts of the department. Those who have not been intending to make silage of their corn should find this information very useful in the event that corn can not be harvested in the ear.

The best corn silage, of course, is produced where the corn can be put into the silo after it has reached the glazed stage. In an emergency, however, where the corn has not reached the glazed stage before frost, it is better to give it all the growing time possible, even if it has to be put into the silo immediately after the first frost. Every extra growing day after the corn has reached the milk stage adds very much to the solid constituents of the silage, as in these last few days there is a very important transfer of material from the roots into the stalk and ear of the plant. In fact, the corn plant when it reaches the milk stage contains only about 65 per cent of the dry matter that it contains two weeks later.

Aside from the increased feeding value, the corn when it has reached the glazed stage contains a much larger percentage of starch and a smaller percentage of sugar. The high proportion of sugar in immature corn is one of the main reasons for the high acidity in the silage made from it. The amount of acid in the silage is found to be very nearly in proportion to the sugar present in the corn.

Where it has been necessary to delay until after the first frost to cut the corn for silage, it is essential that the plants be not allowed to stand frosted in the field. They must be cut and put into the silo at once. The chief effect of the frosting, it will be found, is to reduce somewhat through evaporation the water content of the plants. In packing frosted corn, therefore, it will probably be necessary to add some water to the blower as the corn is being run through the cutter.

The amount to be added depends very largely upon the stage of maturity. If cut when the kernels are beginning to dent, the lower leaves are often quite brown and naturally need some extra moisture. At any rate, only water enough should be added to make the material quite damp, so that it will pack firmly. Where frosted immature corn, not even near the glazed stage, is packed, little or no water probably will be required.

### WANTS MANY ENTRIES

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 15.—The fifth monthly butter scoring contest to be held in St. Paul, on Sept. 22, will be one of the largest and J. J. Farrell state dairy and food inspector, today expressed his earnest desire that all butter makers in the state participate.

### TO BE FASHION PLATE

Distinguished Young Man Has Made Resolve to Keep in Forefront, Buying Clothes Now

A distinguished young man, but girls, he's married, was at the Dispatch office and solemnly announced that hereafter he was to be a regular fashion plate. He was contemplating the purchase of two suits of clothes, three vests of new design, two extra pairs of trousers, silk underwear, silk ties, shirts made by a shirt maker, and might even wear spats.

However, that did not impress the force until he gave his final pronouncement and that took away the breath of the entire Dispatch crowd, devil included, and that was to the effect that he was going to blow himself for three pairs of suspenders at one and the same time.

The height of affluence had been reached. The printer upstairs with a nail holding up his galluses sighed over the unequal distribution of wealth when he had hardly a pair and another guy could afford to wear one complete set and have two others hanging in the chiffoniere ready for service.

### NOKAY NEWS

Mrs. Wm. Herman and children, of Brainerd, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Tollefson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dickinson have returned home after a week's visit in the Twin Cities and White Bear. They combined business and pleasure, purchasing a large stock of dry goods while away.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Edquist and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanson returned home from the state fair last Friday. They made the trip in Mr. Edquist's auto and Fred says anybody could "afford" to go every year providing they owned a Ford.

R. E. Dickinson came up from Little Falls on Saturday, and spent Sunday at J. H. Dickinson's.

Misses Edna and Claribel Edwards visited at the Spohn home last Sunday.

Jerome Hollister had the misfortune to break his arm last week, according to a letter received by his wife.

Chas. Carlson got home from Brainerd last Saturday. He was under doctor's treatment while in town and he certainly looks badly. We hope he will soon feel like himself again.

Mrs. Nelson Ward is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dore Colwat. Her extreme age retards her recovery.

Mrs. Tarry is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Tollefson.

Miss Edna Edwards expects to leave the latter part of the week, for North Dakota, where she has accepted a position to teach.

Messrs. Brandt and Roberts motored out from Brainerd last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dickinson went to Crosby on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Boardwell were over from Oreland last Tuesday.

A cow belonging to Fred Hanson got lost on Monday of last week and was not found until Friday. She had fallen into a test pit together with a heifer belonging to Fred Cooley. Although pretty weak the animals were able to walk home.

Dave Colwat was a Brainerd visitor last Monday.

We haven't heard anything of a gossip club, but, of course, such things are possible in every community. However, it's an old saying that "there's never a lot of smoke without a little fire." So kill the fire, girls, and then the smoke will all blow away. The surest way to stop gossip, is to ignore it, and quit providing fuel for it.

J. C. Barber left for Chicago last Wednesday.

O. U. NO.

### GENERAL RIPLEY IS DEAD

Civil War Veteran Became Prominent New York Financier.

Rutland, Vt., Sept. 15.—Brigadier General Edward H. Ripley, who led the first federal brigade into Richmond after the surrender of General Lee's army, died after a long illness. After the war General Ripley became prominent in New York financial circles.

Legio.

"What—a boy of your age doesn't know the parts of speech!" exclaimed the schoolmaster.

"No, sir," replied the pupil.

"Haven't you ever heard of a noun?"

"Oh, yes, sir."

"Well, what comes next?"

"I don't know, sir."

"A pronoun," said the master. "Now remember that. Then comes the verb. Now what follows that?"

"A proverb, please, sir."—London Ecards.



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## Changes in Type of New Sudmarine

BY BOND P. GEDDES

(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Washington, Sept. 16.—Radical changes in the type of new submarines to be built for Uncle Sam's navy are being worked out by the chief naval constructor. Navy officials admitted today that some new wrinkles in submersibles probably would be adopted when congress authorizes the proposed new fleet of undersea craft which will represent the latest thought in such construction.

Special attention is being given, Secretary Daniels, states, to the question of submarine construction. A corps of experts, at home and abroad, are collecting information to be assimilated in the next new U. S. submarine.

Electric propulsion is the latest in submarines, according to the present determination of the naval constructors. It is probable that electric motors may be used exclusively in the future. Naval authorities also contemplate divesting the present fleet of submarines of gas engines and substituting electric power.

One difficulty in the way of U. S. naval progress in building submarines as the "patent monopoly," which confines this government to one type of submersibles. This is the Lake type. While other types with some most desirable features are being built, Secretary Daniels says the government never has been able to reach satisfactory terms with patentees of other submarines than the Lake variety. Negotiations are in progress, however, by which the government may be able to adopt some of the more desirable features of other patterns.

The government would not be barred from using the other submarine patents in case the U. S. became involved in war, however, according to Secretary Daniels. He admitted that the government would not hesitate to appropriate the submarine patents and use them in building its own submarines in time of war. Compensation would be given the patentees, of course, or they could resort to the courts—but after the government had received the benefit of submersible patents. The government, according to Secretary Daniels, would not hesitate to adopt such a policy, as a matter of defense in a time of national peril, without regard to the contract and patent rights of patentees.

Secretary Daniels hopes that congress will eventually authorize construction by the government itself off all of its submarines. It is now building some on the Pacific coast, the only government plant at present equipped for submarine construction. These are of the oil burning type.

"Speeding up" private contractors on government submarine contracts is another innovation promised by the secretary. He will insist that contracts given private concerns stipulate quicker delivery. The secretary believes that in the past contractors have been slow about completing the government craft. He cites the instance of the ill-fated P-4 which sank last March outside Honolulu harbor. This boat was only two years old, having been commissioned in 1913, but five years elapsed before congress authorized her construction and the date, in 1913, when she was delivered to the navy.

On the other hand, the Fore River Construction Co., of Mass., has just completed ten electric submersibles for one of the allies in the record time of eight months. They were ordered in January and are now lying finished in the ship yards at Quincy, Mass. By agreement with Charles M. Schwab, who took the order for one of the allies, the boats will be held in American waters until after the war.

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A. G. WHITNEY, OF ST. CLOUD

## A RECORD OF ACHIEVEMENT

St. Cloud Journal Press Records  
Work and Character of A. G.  
Whitney, Head Gas Plant

### WHAT HE DID IN ST. CLOUD

His Ability and Power to Achieve  
Results Gives Good Indication  
of What he Will Do Here

A. G. Whitney of St. Cloud, is the head of the Light & Power Co. which will furnish gas to citizens of Brainerd May 1, 1916.

The character and achievements of a man indicate what can be expected of him in the future and the St. Cloud Journal Press publishes a record of the achievements of Mr. Whitney which stamp him as one of the men who do things.

Brainerd can be satisfied that its gas plant will be directed by a man who has been successful in the past and who will be successful in Brainerd. The Journal Press story is given as follows:

It was only a few years ago when A. G. Whitney became interested in the public service corporations of St. Cloud. Up to that time they had not been successfully managed.

The street car company was in the hands of a receiver; the water power company was in the hands of the bond holders, and the electric light plant was "on the ragged edge."

Mr. Whitney had been very successful as a real estate dealer, but the management of public service utilities was a new problem to him. In entering upon his new era of business experience, he adopted just two rules for himself. The first was to master the details of the business, and he made a study of the evolution of power, and the development of a market. The second was to give his patrons good service, at as low prices as the business would warrant.

Most of the machinery was out of date, and was not economical or efficient in production.

The old equipment was discarded and new and modern machinery installed. It was brought to an up-to-date standard. This required much money, and his predecessors had failed because they could not command the necessary capital. With faith in St. Cloud and faith in himself, Mr. Whitney put his own fortune behind the venture, and his confidence inspired the capitalists of other cities. The money was forthcoming.

In addition to the plants he acquired he added a modern gas plant and a cold storage and creamery plant, which were greatly needed in the city.

The making of increased power opened up another problem, and that was to find a greater market, and one that should utilize the night output as well as of the day product. After turning all the motors in St. Cloud and Sauk Rapids, he took on the reformatory and the Great Northern car shops, but this left a much greater day than night load.

Then he saw a vision of well lighted neighboring villages, and the greatness of any man consists in making realities of his dreams. He built lines to Rockville, St. Joseph, Cold Spring and Richmond, and this plan works so well that he is now connecting all the towns and villages in a radius west and south within 50 or 60 miles of St. Cloud. It is a big proposition, and it requires a tremendous amount of money to build and equip so big an enterprise. It also means the creation of more power.

An entirely new power producing plant is to be built on the east side of the dam this year, and further extensions will include the

building of a dam and more power houses at Sauk Rapids.

All this has been provided for in the reorganization of his companies into one. Arrangements have been perfected for the securing, as needed, of money up to the amount of four million dollars.

Of this amount he will have \$800,000 to use this year, and the balance as he needs it.

It is certainly a high tribute to his ability as a manufacturer and a business man that he can command from the conservative capitalists of the east so large a sum as four million dollars. It means that he has made good, that he has kept faith with the men who have backed him. While the properties he controls possess the requisite values and are ample security, yet it is the personality of A. G. Whitney that counts in a large measure. There are scores of men who would not be able to get half of four million dollars, in his place, because they could not gain the confidence of the men of big money to the same extent.

It is a great achievement—and it is of great benefit to St. Cloud and this section of the state. This vast sum of money will be expended in St. Cloud and the surrounding villages. It means thousands and thousands of dollars paid to labor, and the steady employment of a large number of people. It means better service for the people and at decreasing cost.

Although Mr. Whitney is the heaviest taxpayer in the city, he is also one of the most enthusiastic advocates for public improvements. When the installation of the white way was hinged on the lack of money available in the city treasury for putting in the pavers and lights, Mr. Whitney came forward and paid the entire expense, as an investment.

His benefit to the Granite City cannot be measured at this time, because it is but the commencement of a great advancement in our granite industry, and in many other manufacturing enterprises.

But he has already accomplished great things, and he has been a builder along safe and progressive lines. He took enterprises that were on the verge of failure, or worse, and has built them into a magnificent well paying property.

After yielding abjectly—or perhaps only diplomatically—to Japan the Chinese are raising a defense fund and preparing for national military organization. "Better late than never," and perhaps it is not too late. In ordinary times the relations between Japan and China would have aroused keen interest in the United States. Matters would not have been permitted to drift so far if the situation in Europe had been normal. But with all the great commercial nations preoccupied and with even the United States involved in foreign troubles Japan found a favorable moment for exerting pressure upon China and gaining concessions the extent of which is still unknown to outsiders. Japan is said to have given assurances that the treaty rights of the United States were not affected by the new Sino-Japanese arrangement.

Porfirio Diaz goes down in history as the "beneficent dictator" of Mexico. No champion would assert that he was not a dictator. Because he was that Madero drove him out. His beneficent work, alas, has been undermined by revolutions. Time alone can tell whether beneficent and dictatorial methods can work together for the good of the nation.

We can be proud, too, of our army in the field, the vast contingent, mowing, reaping and otherwise gathering the yield given to man by nature's bounty. How much better that than defacing nature and destroying man's handiwork with the blasts of war!

## CANADA DISLIKES YOUR UNCLE SAM

Papers Make Many Flings  
at "Dollar Grabbers."

### SEEK OUR AID IN THE WAR.

Few People There Understand Real Attitude of American People Toward Germany and Great Britain and Seem to Think That We Should Support the Allies in Great Struggle.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Sept. 16.—[Special.]—There is an impression in this country that Great Britain has been favored above other nations engaged in the war in Europe and for that reason British subjects should feel friendly toward the United States. What may be the feeling in England can only be surmised from reading the papers, but it is a fact that in Canada there is a great deal of bitterness against the United States.

Every possible fling about "dollar grabbers" is published in their papers, though they grab often and greedily for every American dollar they can see. Because the Canadians mix in old world affairs, their quarrels and wars, they assume that this country should also take the side of Great Britain when the interests of that country are at stake.

Fail to Understand Our People.

Much has been written and said about the failure of the Germans to understand the attitude of the American people, but there is no real excuse for the failure of the Canadians to understand the position of the majority of the people of the United States. They ought to know that only a comparatively few people of the 100,000,000 are real beneficiaries of the war and that most of the people are losers by the war, and consequently the dollar argument fails to the ground.

They ought to know that it is not because we love England that the sympathies of so many of the people of the United States are with the allies, but because it is generally asserted here that German militarism brought on the disastrous war and, further, that the overrunning of Belgium created a prejudice which cannot be eradicated.

What It Means.

There is a great significance in the announcement by Senators Martin and Swanson of Virginia, that they will support a bill for prohibition in the District of Columbia and a prohibition amendment to the constitution. It means that men representing dry states will support prohibition measures. Neither Martin nor Swanson believes in prohibition. They do not believe that it can be made effective in Washington, but their state has voted dry, and they will vote dry in the senate.

A large portion of the south is dry, and this will mean that the senators and representatives from that section will support prohibition in the coming congress. If the prohibitionists are alert and push their measures early they may be able to pass them.

Chance For Daugherty.

Reports from Ohio say that Harry Daugherty is the favorite among the Republicans for senator in that state. For a long time Harry Daugherty has been working for the Republican party in Ohio. He has helped nearly every man onward and upward during the past twenty years, and it would seem to be a matter of reciprocity for the other fellows to get in and boost him.

Misrepresenting Millions.

Commenting on a statement by the general land office that there are now in the United States, exclusive of Alaska, 275,544,494 acres of unappropriated and unreserved public lands, different papers have pointed out that there is no reason why people should be without farms. Such statements are misleading, because they do not take into consideration that only a small fraction of such lands can be used for farming. Most of the millions of acres are desert wastes, rocks and mountains, which not even the most scientific and expensive irrigation systems will reclaim. There is little land available and actually fit for settlement left in this country.

A Beneficent Law.

From time to time one hears something about the Morrill law, a measure put through congress by the late Senator Morrill of Vermont when he was a member of the house back in 1892. It provided funds for agricultural institutions in various states and has resulted in improving agricultural knowledge throughout the country. A man from New Mexico said the other day that it was the thorough teaching of the state college of agriculture which had made New Mexico a farming state. The idea has always been that New Mexico was an arid waste except along a few streams, but it has become a good agricultural state.

Peace Advocates Make Headway.

While there is an impression that the whole country is much stirred up over lack of military preparation, it is also true that the peace advocates are making considerable headway. They have the advantage of appealing to the majority, who do not want war, and also to that class of citizens who do not want to see the burdens of taxation increased in order to enlarge the army and navy.

## Valuable Cargoes Ordered Seized

(By United Press)

London, Sept. 16.—Valuable cargoes of several ships, bound from America to Copenhagen, have been seized by the admiralty prize court. Sir Samuel Evans charged American shippers with falsifying cargoes in attempting to evade the British blockade of Germany.

## President Wilson Takes First Step

(By United Press)

Washington, Sept. 16.—The president's first definite personal step toward national defense was made this afternoon when he arranged for a conference on September 28, between himself, Chairman Taggart of the House military affairs committee, and Secretary of the Navy Daniels.

## Reports Passage of the Note

(By United Press)

Washington, Sept. 16.—The United States legation at Bern, Switzerland, has cabled that the Dumba note passed there enroute to Vienna, but since then the wires have been cut.

## National Suffrage Association Meeting

(By United Press)

San Francisco, Sept. 16.—The Womans' National Suffrage association has resumed its business sessions. A delegate during a hot argument yesterday shouted "Act like gentlemen." The suffragists will have entire charge of Saturday's edition of the "San Francisco Bulletin."

## Class of 1917 Called to Colors

(By United Press)

Paris, Sept. 16.—The government has introduced a bill calling to the colors the class of 1917, the time being uncertain. It also orders the class of 1888 to hold themselves in readiness.

## Preliminary Hearing is Postponed

(By United Press)

Providence, R. I., Sept. 16.—The preliminary hearing of Mrs. Elizabeth Mohr for the murder of her husband has been postponed two weeks.

## Fear Extra Session

(By United Press)

St. Paul, Sept. 16.—It is believed the Hibbing miners paid their taxes because they feared a special session of the legislature.

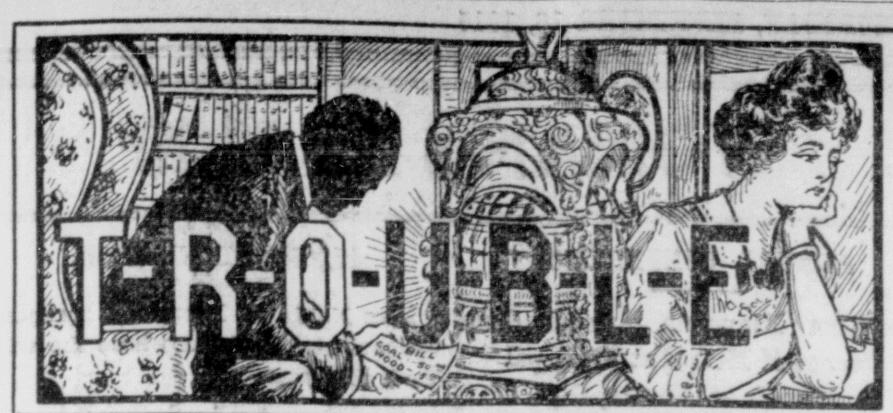
## GRAVEL ROADS IN IOWA.

Have Proved Satisfactory, as is Exemplified by Greene County Highways.

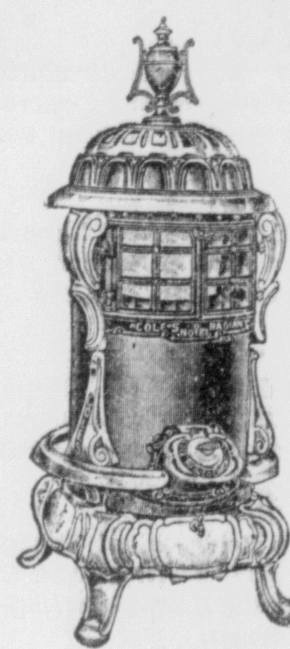
The question of surfacing roads is being given more than the usual share of attention this year throughout the length and breadth of the corn belt because of the impassable condition of highways in many localities, due to the abnormal rainfall, says the Iowa Homestead. Automobile owners are literally up in arms over the present system of roadmaking, and of course in the corn belt these are numbered by the hundreds of thousands at the present time. The number is being rapidly supplemented by farmers, who are complaining of their inability to market produce under favorable conditions, and, all in all, the agitation is directing special attention to ways and means of improving dirt roads in some other fashion than that of dragging them.

Because of the attention given to the subject it is interesting to turn to the example of one county in Iowa, where there are 100 miles of good gravel roads. This system of roadmaking, which has been in evidence in Greene county for many years, has given to that county a reputation which extends far beyond the boundary of the state.

In the making of these roads a good grade is first thrown up, and afterwards an eight inch coating of gravel is placed in the center of the highway. It requires approximately 2,200 yards per mile of finished road, and most of this has been put in place at a cost of 75 cents per yard. This cost includes the leveling of the gravel to a width of eight feet in the center of the road, and in addition the amount mentioned will make a strip four inches deep, four feet wide on each side of the more heavily graveled strip. This means that sixteen feet of the highway



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It is not herein intimated that the example of Greene county can be followed in every county, because of the lack of similar surfacing materials. However, the experience thus far in that county indicates that enthusiasm for surfaced roads very rapidly spreads. A ten mile strip will be graveled this year, and satisfactory as this material has been, there is some sentiment being created in the country favorable to the use of a more permanent material, such as concrete or brick. The supposed advantage of these materials over that of gravel is that for a series of years there will be no maintenance cost, whereas in the case of gravel there is more or less patching and repairing work required every season.

German Submarine Sunk.

Paris, Sept. 15.—A German submarine has been torpedoed and sunk by a French torpedo boat patrol between Mytilene and Tenedos, says an Athens dispatch to the Journal.

Creates Aviation Secretary.

Paris, Sept. 15.—The cabinet decided to create an under secretaryship of state for aviation and aeronautics. The new post was given to Rene Bessard. M. Bessard previously served as minister of labor, minister of colonies and under secretary of finance.

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2. NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 13, Twp. 44, Rge. 29 (Maple Grove) 40 acres at \$20.00 per acre.
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## THOMAS LYONALS CALLED TO REWARD

Pioneer 40 Years a Resident of Brainerd Died This Morning at Catholic Hospital, St. Paul

### LEAVES FOUR SONS, TWO IN CITY

Body Will be Brought to Brainerd Friday Afternoon, Funeral to be Saturday Morning

Following an illness of several years, believed to be ulcers of the stomach, Thomas Lyonals, aged 76, a pioneer of Brainerd, died at a Catholic hospital in St. Paul this afternoon. Mr. Lyonals was one of the oldest residents of Brainerd, having lived here 40 years or more.

His wife preceded him to her reward five years ago. He leaves four sons, Joseph and Wm. J. Lyonals of Brainerd, Leopold Lyonals of Humboldt, Saskatchewan, Canada, and Frank Lyonals of Minneapolis.

In all his lengthy residence in Brainerd he always made his home on the south side. He was always most abstemious in his habits. He never used tobacco or liquor in any form and retained his activity and faculties unimpaired to the end.

The body will be brought to Brainerd Friday afternoon and friends may view it at the home of his son, Wm. J. Lyonals, 812 South Sixth street. The funeral will be held Saturday morning at 8:30 from the home, and at 9 o'clock from St. Francis Catholic church, Rev. Father J. J. O'Mahoney officiating.

### MINE RESCUE CAR

Other Sections of the Cuyuna Range Anxious to Inspect U. S. Bureau of Mines Car

Mine Rescue Car No. 7 of the U. S. Bureau of Mines of the Gogebic range, now stationed at Crosby, may be brought to other sections of the Cuyuna range if efforts now made are successful. Ironton is in the center of a district with mines tributary, the Wilcox at Woodrow, the Brainerd-Cuyuna at Brainerd and the Rowley mine at Barrows are anxious to inspect the car and profit by its teachings. If advantage is not taken now, it may be years before another car is sent out on the range.

### EVERBEARING STRAWBERRIES

Fine Luscious Berries Sent to George D. LaBar by Col. Freeman Thorp

Everbearing strawberries, of huge size and ripened finely in spite of occasional frosts which touched parts of Crow Wing county, were received from Col. Freeman Thorp of Hubert, by George D. LaBar, president of the First National bank of Brainerd.

At Hubert Col. Thorp conducts the demonstration farm of the New Farming association and in line with six foot corn come these strawberries of exceptional merit and raised according to the new farming precepts of Col. Thorp.

Unlike some men who broach new ideas, Col. Thorp tries them out first and then, in colloquial terms, has the "goods to show" as is the case with his trees, grains, grasses, corn and strawberries.

Col. Thorp says the strawberries continue bearing from June 25 to November 1. They are luscious, ripe, red berries with a diameter the size of a half dollar and larger.

### RAN SPECIAL TRAIN

Northern Pacific Railway Company Took Guy Hoard from Staples to Brainerd Hospital

When Guy Hoard accidentally fell from a freight train at Staples and had both legs cut off, trainmen found him and the Northern Pacific railway company ran a special from Staples to Brainerd to the Northern Pacific sanatorium and doctors and nurses labored to save his life. The shock and loss of blood, however, proved too much and Hoard succumbed.

Relatives of the dead man are ever grateful to the railway company which showed such sympathy and such a desire to save life.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the Northern Pacific Railway Co., the doctors and nurses of the Northern Pacific hospital, friends and neighbors, for their kindness and sympathy shown us and their floral tributes in our recent bereavement when Guy Hoard, brother-in-law and brother of the undersigned, passed away.

MR. and MRS. W. W. CAMPBELL  
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DISPATCH ADS PAY

## TO WRESTLE FOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Henry Karhunsari of Brainerd, Finnish Champion, to Wrestle Waino Ketanen, of Mass.

### DULUTH TO SEE GOOD MATCH

Karhunsari is Good on the Offensive and Works Every Minute, an Adept in the Mat Game

Henry Karhunsari, Finnish champion middleweight wrestler in Graeco-Roman style, who has cleaned up everything on the Cuyuna iron range in decisive fashion, winning every match made in Brainerd, Crosby and other points, and defeating wrestlers from the Twin Cities too, has accepted a challenge to wrestle catch as catch can Waino Ketanen, of Worcester, Mass.

In a letter to Bruce of the Duluth Herald the doughty Brainerd wrestler says he will give a good account of himself in his match with Ketanen, exerting every ounce of his strength to win. Karhunsari is in perfect physical condition and takes the best of care of himself.

Karhunsari, who is a professional, the noted Finn runner, is always in training and always in shape. He does not drink, or dissipate. The only relaxation he allows himself is an occasional smoke.

He revived the wrestling game on the Cuyuna range. Karhunsari is active in offensive and to the fans that want to see action, he can fill the bill. His work is clean and clear cut.

At the Brainerd Dispatch office Karhunsari formally notified Ketanen of his intention to take on the bout, and acceptance of the challenge was duly transmitted to Bruce of the Duluth Herald. Following this the details of the match at Duluth will be arranged.

### DULUTH MAYOR HERE

Mayor W. J. Prince Has a Friendly Visit and Chat With George D. LaBar

Mayor W. J. Prince, of Duluth, was a guest of George D. LaBar, vice president of the Brainerd school board, and in the friendly visit ensuing municipal problems were discussed in an informal way.

The commission form of government of Duluth is of interest in Brainerd where the charter commission of which Mr. LaBar is a member, submitted a draft to the voters, but failed to carry.

### ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Brainerd for the week ending Sept. 17, 1915. When calling for these letters please say "advertised."

Berg, Mr. Peter  
Glasman, Mr. Altx  
Hammond, B. J.  
Hopkins, D. J.  
Keller, Mrs. William  
Kelle, Mr. John  
Laisur, Mr. Joseph  
Melony, Mrs. L. F.  
Sarja, Mr. Jakop  
Schonecker, Mr. John  
Scott, Mrs. Mary F.  
Shoaff, Mrs. Thos. B.

H. P. DUNN, P. M.

### A Forgotten Post.

Arthur Coleridge related that the poet Coleridge once journeyed from Highgate to Holborn to visit a nephew, Sir William H. Coleridge. It was very cold weather, and the poet had on a double breasted waistcoat which met just below his neck. It was discovered that he had got no shirt. His nephew remonstrated with him, to which the poet replied, "I'm very sorry, William, very sorry, but I've forgotten my shirt." Upon this Sir William kindly lent his uncle a shirt, "and," said the speaker, "I regret to say that very necessary garment was never returned to its original owner."—London Saturday Review.

Several sections of the country report more June weddings in 1915 than last year. None, however, recalls as a reason for the increase the old saying, "It is as easy to support two as one."

The high cost of living seems to have come to stay in the United States. But if the high cost for one element enables another element to live relatively better and easier the evil has its bright side.

The "fat of the land" has suffered little from erratic weather conditions, as shown by bulging markets of early fruit and vegetables at low prices.

Hueria was probably most fortunate in having Uncle Sam's brotherly hand hold him at the supreme moment.

This is the year to pay tribute to the fellow who first said, "Two swallows don't make a summer."

## BARROWS SCHOOL TO BE DEDICATED

Wilson School Ceremonies on Friday Evening to Attract a Large Attendance, the Speakers

### CARL SWAYNE, ST. PAUL SPEAKS

Brainerd People on Program—Payday at the Rowley Mine—Potato Crop is Good

Barrows, Minn., Sept. 16.—Friday evening the new Wilson school will be dedicated. A fine program has been arranged and a number of prominent state speakers will take part. County Attorney S. F. Alderman of Brainerd will sing a solo, Mrs. Geo. D. LaBar of Brainerd will sing, Rev. C. P. Sheridan, pastor of the First Congregational church of Brainerd and former president of the Chamber of Commerce will deliver an address and Carl Swayne, of the state department of education of St. Paul, will speak on "Community Interest." A large attendance is expected.

The school board of District No. 10 held a meeting Friday afternoon to transact business pertaining to the heating plant for the new Wilson school.

According to reports the potato crop in this vicinity will be much better than expected and a big yield is looked forward to.

Levi Bailey was in Brainerd on business Tuesday.

It was payday at the Rowley mine of the Barrows Mining Co. on Saturday.

Rev. C. H. S. Koch of Brainerd gave a very interesting lecture on India at the Methodist church here Friday evening. He also showed slides of the different types of the inhabitants of that country as well as ancient structures and the country in general. After the lecture lunch was served.

T. F. Lynch of the Northern Plumbing & Heating Co., Eveleth, was transacting business in town Friday.

Gladys Nicholas of Brainerd visited with Gladys Whitehouse the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stuck of Long Lake were in town Monday looking after their property here. They also called on a number of friends and visited the new mine.

Sam Clay of the Crow Wing county was in town Tuesday.

### CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

Government Announces Date of First Grade or Clerical Test in Many Northwestern Cities

The United States civil service commission announces an open competitive examination on November 6th, 1915, at Brainerd and many other places in this state, including Bemidji, Crookston, St. Cloud and Fergus Falls. From this examinations eligibles will be secured from which to make certification to fill vacancies in first grade, or clerical positions in the customs service in the positions of clerk, storekeeper, gauger, and storekeeper-gauger in the internal revenue service, and in other positions that require similar qualifications as they may occur in the U. S. classified service in the city named or its vicinity.

Among the requirements are a rating of at least 70 in arithmetic or 65 in report writing to be eligible. The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who include being free from certain ailments. The age limit is 18 years or over on the date of the examination. Application blanks and additional information can be obtained from the secretary of the board of local examiners at the Brainerd post office.

### ERIE EXPRESS CAR ROBBED

Lone Bandit Takes Several Thousand Dollars and Jewelry.

Indianapolis, Sept. 16.—When Lake Erie and Western passenger train No. 25 arrived here the American Express company messenger reported that he had been held up at the point of a revolver by a lone bandit and packages containing several thousand dollars and jewelry were taken from the express safe.

The robbery occurred near Arcadia, twenty-eight miles northeast of Indianapolis. The robber escaped.

### A Good Household Salvage

Ordinary ailments and injuries are not of themselves serious, but infection or low vitality may make them dangerous. Don't neglect a cut, sore, bruise or hurt because it's small. Blood poison has resulted from a pin-prick or scratch. For all such ailments Bucklen's Arnica salve is excellent. It protects and heals the hurt; is antiseptic, kills infection and prevents dangerous complications. Good for all Skin Blemishes, Pimple, Salt Rheum, Eczema. Get an original 2-ounce 25c box from your druggist.—Adv't.



### POSTOFFICE

#### SAFE BLOWN

Deerwood, Minn., Sept. 15.—The postoffice and general merchandise store owned by Fritz Handorf of Cedar Lake, was entered at 2 o'clock this morning.

The safe was blown and \$30 in stamps and \$50 in currency taken.

Mrs. Hendrickson, who lives near the store, heard the explosion, but did not realize what was doing it and the theft was not discovered until Handorf opened the store this morning.

No clue has yet been found to the robbers.

### CROSBY SUSPECTS

#### FREED IN COURT

Crosby, Minn., Sept. 15.—Caine and Clarke, the two burglar suspects, were cleared here today by a jury on the charge of petty larceny. They were accused of stealing tools from a local blacksmith shop. The men were captured Sunday night and charged with having safe blowers' tools in their possession.

### COMMUNICATION

Sept. 14th, 1915.  
To the Press and People  
of Crow Wing County:—

When the question of what Crow Wing county would exhibit at the state fair and how it should be exhibited, was under consideration, I offered to make the exhibit from the new farming tract a part of the regular county exhibit. The Chamber of Commerce had the matter in charge and Secretary Hansing wrote me that they wanted to give room for our exhibit but that they did not see their own exhibit ought to have, and thought it would be better to make our exhibit separately, feeling sure that the state fair management would gladly give to so important an exhibit much greater space than the county could. So far from feeling any resentment I fully acquiesced in this opinion and offered hearty cooperation in the regular county exhibit, distinctly offering to Secretary Hansing, and to Chairman Gruenhagen anything from our demonstration tract that they might desire for the county exhibit, as no call came for any of our products I naturally concluded that it was not thought best to mix any of the products of the New Farming methods with the great bulk of the county exhibit that would be the products of the ordinary older methods. This opinion I also acquiesced in and experience at the fair proved that it was correct, as in this way Crow Wing county had for exhibition purposes two booths instead of one, and it is very probable that just as many people visited the regular county exhibit as would have done so if there had been no separate exhibit from our demonstration tract, and I am sure more people visited our separate exhibition than visited our county exhibit, or any single county exhibit, and the reason for this is in the fact that while our county had a good exhibit of agricultural products, as the other counties also did, yet neither our county or any of the other counties had anything of importance that was new, nothing that would enable the visitor to go home feeling that he had learned something that would enable him if a farmer to grow better crops, and if not a farmer, to tell his farmer friends that a practical way had been found to save for his crops, moisture and fertility that has heretofore been allowed to run to waste.

It was the fact that the method of doing this was shown in our exhibit, with the big yield of corn on light, sandy soil, resulting from this New Farming method, that attracted the crowds in front of our exhibit and kept them there while these methods were explained, and it was this that made all of the great daily newspapers of St. Paul and Minneapolis devote much space to our exhibit, while not even mentioning the exhibit of our county and of several other counties of the state. It should be borne in mind that newspapers that are the greatest agencies of publicity are published to give news and big facts, turnips, potatoes, wheat, oats, clover, etc., are not new, and are not in themselves educational and that the beautiful manner of arranging their exhibition in our county exhibit and in that of the other counties, was almost exactly the same, and all of them are almost exact copies of all county exhibits at previous state fairs and when the visitor has looked at one he will only give a glance to the others. The National New Farming association is entirely new to the world. Our exhibition was entirely new and radically different from anything else at the fair, being entirely educational and a practical demonstration of new and better methods. No one could examine it without learning more than they could possibly learn from the most careful study of all the county exhibits at the fair, beautiful as those exhibits certainly were. I think that the lesson of this state fair to our county should be that while we should all loyally support a regular county exhibit, to show that men who want to settle on farms in Crow Wing county and prefer to follow the old, well established methods, can do so successfully in Crow Wing county and that at the same time a separate exhibition of the New Farming methods radically different and radically better than the old, showing a radically different way the biggest corn, vegetable and fruit irrigation, should have the approval of our people generally and arrangements should be made next year to have both exhibits transferred to our county fair, so that more of our people could see and compare them. Everyone knows that we have a large acreage of sandy soil in Crow Wing county and there is no organized effort to show the possibilities of this soil, other than the New Farming association.

The friendly visit to our exhibit of Dean Woods, head of the State Agricultural college, and Prof. Alway of the soil bureau, and their expressed approval of our efforts to conserve soil moisture and fertility, shows that any effort to belittle the work of our association will not be approved by the head of the college of Minnesota. With great respect,  
FREEMAN THORP.

### BIG GRAIN STEAMER SINKS

Once Pride of Lakes Goes Down With 110,000 Bushels of Wheat.

Duluth, Sept. 15.—The steamer Onoko, belonging to the Steinhilbner interests of Cleveland, O., loaded with 110,000 bushels of wheat, consigned to Buffalo by the Capitol Elevator company, sank while off Knife Island, about fourteen miles off from Duluth, almost without a moment's warning. None of the crew was lost.

When it was evident the steamer was sinking Captain W. R. Dunn ordered the boats out and the crew left the ship. They were picked up shortly after by the Standard Oil steamer Renown and were brought back to Duluth.

The value of the boat is undetermined, but in its day it was the pride of the lakes. The Onoko was launched in 1882.

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# COMPANIES PAY HIBBING TAXES

## Two Mining Concerns Decide to Take No Chances.

## ANXIOUS TO RETAIN LEASES

Vice President of the Oliver Company Declares the Payment Does Not Affect the General Contest on the Taxes Claimed to Be Invalid and Improper.

Duluth, Sept. 16.—Taxes and penalties aggregating \$67,794.84, covering all mining property at Hibbing, Minn., affected by state leases were paid into the county treasury by the Oliver Iron Mining company and the Pickands-Mather company, two of the eleven operators which have refused to pay their taxes on their Hibbing holdings for the current year on the grounds that the amount levied for village purposes is exorbitant and invalid.

The action of the two mining companies is taken to mean that the operators are taking no chance with the question of state leases, but is not regarded as an indication that they have abandoned their fight against the alleged extravagances of Mayor Power's administration at Hibbing.

Except for the \$67,794.84 no portion of the \$1,500,000 taxes remaining unpaid since June 1 last will be turned into the county treasury at this time.

### Half in Village Orders.

Of the total amount paid \$61,621.67 represents taxes and \$6,163.17 penalties. Practically half the total amount was paid in village orders, which will mean that in the apportionment of the taxes the village of Hibbing will not get any cash, but about \$30,000 in cancelled paper.

Pentecost Mitchell, vice president of the Oliver Iron Mining company, when interviewed, said:

"The mining companies feel confident that a lease under a state lease has the same right as any other property owner would have to contest high taxes and to permit them to go unpaid after June 1. They also feel that by making this small payment now they are avoiding all possibility of litigation over a question that is really without merit, is really well settled and which is of no particular importance. The payment does not affect the general contest on the taxes claimed to be invalid and improper."

Most of the village orders used in paying the taxes were those purchased by the mining companies in connection with the water works construction at Hibbing.

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**NO PAY FOR BOXERS UNTIL AFTER BOUTS.**  
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 Milwaukee, Sept. 16.—The state boxing commission ruled that promoters must not pay any boxer any part of his contract money until he has completed his night's work. The referees on their part are ordered to force the boxers to fight and in case of stalling to forfeit the money the boxers were to be paid.  
 B. F. Alexander was granted a Beloit license. At La Crosse there were two clubs applying and as the law allows only one club in a city of that size action was deferred pending investigation into the backing of the applicants.  
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## PAINTER KILLED BY AUTO

Driver Is Held Without Bail Pending an Inquiry.

St. Paul, Sept. 16.—John Classen, a painter, died on his way to the city hospital in the police ambulance as a result of injuries received on University avenue when he was struck and carried 100 feet on the front of an automobile driven by Herman W. Kixmoeller, president and treasurer of the O. H. Peck company, photographic outfit, Minneapolis.

Mr. Kixmoeller was taken to Central police station and locked up, pending an investigation by County Attorney O'Brien and Coroner Jones. No charge was placed against him. He was ordered held without bail. Witnesses say the auto was traveling thirty miles an hour.

## FIRE LOSSES CUT IN TWO

August Figures for Minnesota \$168,448, Against \$320,762 in 1914.

St. Paul, Sept. 16.—Fire losses in Minnesota in August were so low that the total of 161 fires would not equal the loss in one big city outbreak. The total loss was \$168,448, only about one-half as much as the total of \$329,762 for August, 1914.

Robert W. Hargadine, state fire marshal, reports twenty-four investigations resulting in two arrests, the latter being productive of two convictions.

## CARTRIDGE WORKERS QUIT

Thirty-five Hundred Demand Higher Wages and Shorter Hours.

Lowell, Mass., Sept. 16.—Labor troubles at the plant of the United States Cartridge company here resulted in the closing of all except the machine and sheet steel departments of the works.

Of the 5,000 employees only about 500 are left at their work. Some 2,500 went out on strike and 1,000 others were sent out by the management until further notice.

It is said at the company's office that most of the strikers were unskilled help.

## FIVE YEARS TO GET READY

Inventor Maxim Declares Advisory Board Biggest Thing Yet.

New York, Sept. 16.—Hudson Maxim, the inventor, who is a member of the naval advisory board, praised its organization at a meeting of the American Defense society.

Mr. Maxim characterized the formation of the board as "the biggest thing that has been done yet for our security."

He declared that it would "take the United States five years to get into a position to meet an enemy that could attack us in two weeks."

## WILSON STUDIES DEFENSE

Reports of Garrison and Daniels Scrutinized by President.

Washington, Sept. 16.—President Wilson began detailed study of preliminary reports on national defense submitted to him by Secretaries Garrison and Daniels. He is paying particular attention to the probable cost of strengthening the army and navy.

Secretary Lansing formally introduced to President Wilson Frank L. Polk, the new counselor of the state department, who will act as secretary when Mr. Lansing goes on a short vacation next week.

### Bryan Visits Henry Ford.

Detroit, Sept. 16.—Mystery shrouds the alleged visit to Detroit of William Jennings Bryan, late secretary of state, and his secret conference with Henry Ford, supposedly to discuss with the automobile builder the details of Ford's \$10,000,000 peace monument.

## RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND

### American Association.

St. Paul 2, 0; Louisville 0, 1. Minneapolis 13, 3; Columbus 10, 1. Indianapolis 1, 3; Milwaukee 0, 1. Cleveland 6, 2; Kansas City 1, 4.

### National League.

Pittsburg 1, Philadelphia 0. Chicago 1, Philadelphia 0.

### American League.

Detroit 4, New York 2. Chicago 3, Boston 1. Cleveland 5, Washington 0.

### Federal League.

St. Louis 3, Brooklyn 2. Baltimore 3, Pittsburg 0.

## GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

### Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Sept. 15.—Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 hard, \$1.01½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.00½; No. 2 Northern, 98½c. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$1.64.

### St. Paul Grain.

St. Paul, Sept. 15.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, 95½¢@99½¢; No. 2 Northern, 92½¢@96½¢; No. 2 Montana hard, 95½¢@98½¢; corn, 72½¢@73¢; oats, 32½¢@33¢; barley, 44¢@53¢; rye, 89¢@90¢; flax, \$1.67½.

### Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Sept. 15.—Wheat—Sept., 93½¢; Dec., 91½¢; May, 96½¢. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.01½; No. 1 Northern, 95½¢@99½¢; No. 2 Northern, 92½¢@96½¢; No. 3 Northern, 88½¢@92½¢; No. 3 yellow corn, 72½¢@73¢; No. 3 white oats, 32½¢@33¢; flax, \$1.67½.

### Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 15.—Cattle—Steers, \$6.10@10.35; cows and heifers, \$2.90@8.40; calves, \$7.50@12.00. Hogs—Light, \$7.45@8.35; mixed, \$6.65@8.30; heavy, \$6.40@7.85; rough, \$6.40@6.60; pigs, \$6.00@7.50. Sheep—Native, \$5.25@5.90.

### South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Sept. 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,600; steers, \$4.50@9.25; cows and heifers, \$4.25@6.00; calves, \$2.75@10.25; stockers and feeders, \$4.25@7.10. Hogs—Receipts, 2,700; range, \$6.50@7.90. Sheep—Receipts, 1,500; lambs, \$4.50@8.25; wethers, \$4.75@5.75; ewes, \$3.00@5.25.

### Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Sept. 15.—Wheat—Sept., \$1.00½; Dec., 94¢; May, 97½¢. Corn—Sept., 71½¢; Dec., 67¢; May, 58¢. Oats—Sept., 36½¢; Dec., 36¢; May, 28½¢. Pork—Sept., \$12.65; Oct., \$12.72½; Dec., \$13.02½. Butter—Creameries, 24¢@24½¢. Eggs—17½¢@22¢. Poultry—Springs, 16¢; fowls, 13½¢.

### St. Paul Hay.

St. Paul, Sept. 15.—Hay—Choice timothy, \$15.00; No. 1 timothy, \$13.50@14.25; No. 1 clover mixed, \$11.00@11.75; No. 1 mixed, different grasses, \$11.00@11.75; No. 1 mixed, timothy and wild, \$11.00@11.75; choice upland, \$13.50; No. 1 upland, \$12.00@12.75; No. 1 midland, \$8.00@8.75; No. 1 alfalfa, \$14.00@14.75.

# CAN'T GET SOUTH AMERICAN TRADE

## Both Countries Produce Nearly the Same Articles.

## PLAN MEETS SOME SUCCESS

John Barrett Has Been Trying to Make the Water Run Uphill For Twenty Years—Our Manufacturers Are Not Careful Enough in the Goods They Ship, Either.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Sept. 17.—[Special.]—Between two cabinet officers it appears that one man is pretty well shelved. I refer to the Hon. John Barrett, director general of the Pan-American bureau. The trick was turned when Secretary McAdoo called a Pan-American financial congress, which, it turned out, was intended to do just what the Pan-American bureau has been trying to do for the past twenty years and, under the energetic management of John Barrett, has made as great a success as any other institution having for its main object the making of water run up hill.

Back in the Harrison administration James G. Blaine conceived the Pan-American union idea, had his delegates meet in Washington and gave them pretty much as good a time as McAdoo gave his delegates. The central idea was to create trade between South America and the United States.

### Where the Hitch Comes.

The efforts of Blaine, Barrett and McAdoo, who is now assisted by Secretary Redfield, are most commendable, but the trouble is found in the faulty construction of this old world of ours. It happens that it has a law of gravity by which water will not run up hill, and the same law applies to trade and commerce. South America produces for the most part the same articles as found in the United States and exchanges them for manufactured articles in countries which do not produce them. Rather simple, isn't it, that if one section has a large amount of food which it wants to exchange for wearing apparel and machinery that the exchange will be made? The ship carrying the food one way brings the manufactured products the other, and there you have the groundwork of trade between Europe and South America.

### Our People Not Careful.

The European manufacturer is careful to make and pack his goods in such shape as to please his customers in South America. Our manufacturers only seek to sell their surplus in South America, for they have a better market at home for most of their wares.

Thus it happens that Secretary McAdoo and Secretary Redfield are bending every energy to build up a South American trade, just as John Barrett and Jim Blaine did before them. Barrett is still doing all he can and helping, but instead of being so much in the limelight he appears to be eclipsed a bit by the two cabinet officers.

### Possible Postal Cost.

Jonathan Bourne, who was chairman of the senate committee on postoffice and who has given more careful attention to postal legislation than any man connected with the government, says that in ten years the cost of operating the postoffice department will be a billion dollars. It may be well to wonder whether efforts will continue to make it a self-sustaining branch of the government, paying its own way by postage rates. If so, it will have to charge more on some of the services rendered than it does at present.

### No New York Promotions.

Since a New York legislature lifted Frank Hiseock from the house to the senate the state has never elected a man who served in the house to the upper branch. That was some thirty years ago, and in that time New York has had some able men in the house, but none who seemed to have the attitude of the senate.

It has been more than forty years since Oregon promoted a man from the house to the senate, and the same is true of California.

### No Longer In Evidence.

The "original Wilson man" was much in evidence for the first eighteen months of the present administration, but some way they—there were many of them—were never able to cash in with a good job on the strength of the claim. During many years of observation I have never found these "originals" putting anything across. It seems to be the idea of the man who is elected president that he himself was the "original" man on the job. Probably he is the first man to have an idea that he will be president.

### Tavener Resumes His Fight.

When Clyde Tavener came to congress from Illinois he knew something about Washington. He knew that a congressman must select something and stick to it if he was to make even a ripple upon the political pool. Tavener selected the ammunition trusts and began pounding away at them. He kept it up for one session and was re-elected. And so he comes back again, beginning long before the session opens. He will get a hearing because every time national defense is discussed he will demand time to tell about the munitions trusts. And he knows how to get publicity, so he will make quite a stir during the coming session.

### GOOD ROADS AND FARMERS.

It costs more for the farmers of America to carry their crops to the railroad station than it costs to carry these crops from the railroad stations to the central market.

These prices are not always shown in the price list or in the statement of annual expenditures, but they are facts nevertheless, and it behooves the farmer therefore to see to it that this item in the expense of marketing is reduced to a minimum.

Let him have a good road all the year round, so that he can do a great part of his hauling to the railroad station and away from it at periods of the year when he can do very little farm work—Home and Farm.

## FACTOR IN COMMUNITY LIFE.

United States Just Beginning to Realize Importance of Better Highways.

No single factor plays such an important part in the social and business life of a community as the quality of its roads. Aside from the pleasure and convenience of travel possible at all times over permanent roads, there is the financial phase which directly concerns the cost not only of farm produce, but of city products as well; consequently everybody wants good roads. In the matter of paying for permanent highways a generally satisfactory agreement seems to have been reached in the proposed distribution of the cost between the nation, the state, the county and the users of the road in question. As a result within a few years this country will take its rightful leading position among the nations of the world in the number of miles of permanent roads.

In a way it is fortunate that the United States has been rather slow in the matter of roadmaking. The roads can now be built of lasting materials, such as will withstand the wear of motor traffic, which is fast ruining Europe's century old roadways. Lasting road materials are everywhere present in the form of sand and gravel from pits and stream beds and crushed rock from stone quarries. Combined with portland cement into concrete they form an inexpensive and permanent road surface which successfully resists the usually destructive action of automobiles.

The first consideration in the building of concrete roads is a careful study of local deposits of sand, gravel and rock (called the aggregate) to see whether they are suitable for concrete. Sand must be clean and hard and must grade uniformly in size of grain from one-quarter inch down. The same applies practically to gravel and crushed rock.

There are two phases of the cost of any improvement—first cost and upkeep expense. In both items the concrete road has proved less expensive than any other kind of permanent roadway. Of some three million yards of city and country concrete pavements built in recent years the average first cost has been \$12.22 a square yard. The annual upkeep expense a mile on these roads has been almost nothing. In Bellefontaine, O., concrete pavements in use eighteen years have cost annually for maintenance only one-quarter of one cent a square yard. Upkeep cost of Wayne county, Mich., country concrete roads for three years has averaged but \$2.50 a mile.

In 1911 the mean cost of repairing macadam roads in New York state was \$800 a mile—10 per cent of the first cost. If these roads had been concrete, practically all the immense expense could have been saved and used in building new roads instead of repairing old ones. With better roads will come better schools, better churches, happier homes, better business and decreased cost of living.

### Many Millions For Roads in a Year.

Statistics gathered from the thirty-three states throughout the Union, in which records are carefully compiled, tell an interesting story of what this country is doing to keep its lines of communication from district to district in the best possible condition.

In these thirty-three states there are 1,614,999 roads of all kinds. Of these 226,288 are improved, 35,704 miles having been improved during the year 1914. At the rate of 35,000 miles per year these thirty-three states will have their entire mileage classed under the head of improved road in less than forty-five years. In these states during the year 1914 there were added 6,000 miles of new roads. Before the advent of the automobile such a thing would have been unprecedented, but now it is becoming a yearly occurrence and gathering impetus as time goes on.

These improvements cost \$108,191,774. The greatest amount spent by any state was Indiana, which paid out \$17,000,000. New York followed closely with \$14,628,045; Iowa expended \$11,000,000; Colorado spent \$9,964,077; Wisconsin paid out \$7,000,000; Montana, \$8,389,278; and Illinois, \$5,500,000.

### A Connecting Link.

The Grant highway, a road from Chicago to Dubuque, Ia., is to pass through Elgin, Belvidere, Rockford, Freeport, Pearl City, Stockton and Galena, Ill., according to action recently taken by the Grant Highway association. The road is to be marked by a device consisting of a black band between two yellow bands, which is to be painted on every fifth telegraph or telephone pole along the route.

# PRESS ADVANCE TOWARD DVINSK

## Russians Unable to Check Big Teutonic Drive.

## RIGA IS SAFE TEMPORARILY

Muscovites, However, Are Still on the Offensive in Galicia and Are Pressing the Austrians With Great Vigor. Artillery Duel on the Western Front Rages With Unabated Fury.

London, Sept. 15.—The German drive toward Dvinsk goes forward unchecked, according to the Berlin official statement issued, and Field Marshal von Hindenburg's army has taken 5,000 prisoners in the encounter of the last twenty-four hours and forged ahead to within about thirty miles of the Dvinsk fortress.

Riga, for the time being, is left unthreatened by direct attack, but should von Hindenburg succeed in getting effectively astride the Petrograd railway further south it would expose the Baltic port to a serious enveloping movement.

All the mid-Poland fighting, the Germans claim, is progressing in their favor, but the Russians are still on the offensive in Galicia, pressing the Austrians with a vigor that recalls their dash through Galicia in the latter part of last winter.

The artillery duel in the west has not yet abated. Both sides are making a prodigious expenditure of shells, leaving the public to guess when, if at all, any general infantry attack is coming.

After six weeks' recess parliament reassembled at London, the first session developing nothing notable, except the premier's flat refusal to discuss conscription proposals.

The prime minister will move a vote of credit variously estimated at from \$750,000,000 to \$1,250,000,000.

## MAY PROSECUTE PLOTTERS

Attorney General Awaits Decision of Secretary Lansing.

Washington, Sept. 15.—It became known the department of justice will not take action against agents of belligerent governments alleged to have been involved in strike plans and other objectionable activities until the state department has determined what shall be the attitude of the government toward such acts apparently in violation of neutrality.

Both the bureau of investigation of the department of justice and the secret service, acting directly for the state department, have been investigating scores of reports of alleged neutral acts by foreign agents and officers since the European war began.

The files are filled with reports, but with the exception of prosecutions for passport frauds and in connection with enlistments for the armies of belligerents no action has been taken on them.

## BOY IS KILLED BY BROTHER

Bullet Passes Through Heart of Lad and Injures Sister.

New Richmond, Wis., Sept. 15.—The two-year-old son of J. Calburn, a farmer near Turtle Lake, Wis., was shot and instantly killed by the accidental discharge of a rifle which his fourteen-year-old brother had taken from the wall to clean.

The bullet passed through his heart and thigh and tore away part of the foot of his five-year-old sister.

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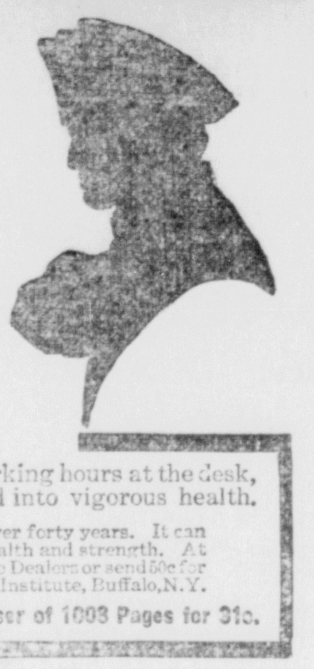
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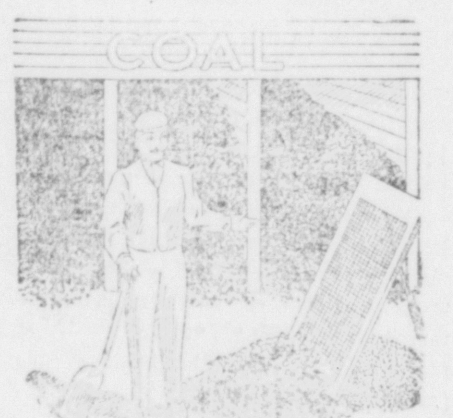
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